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PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136, applicants hereby petition that the period for replying to the Examiner's Action mailed November 9, 1999, be extended for two (2) months to and including March 9, 2000.

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